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Naples, March 30.

ON the 25th two tranſport Veſſels returned to this Port from Gaeta, with ſeven Battering Pieces with their Stores; and it is reported, that by the 3d of April, the whole Train of 40 large Cannons and 20 Mortars, with their Carriages, Ammunition, &c. will be ſhipped off here for Ancona, to which Place ſix 24 Pounders, two Mortars, and ſeven Companies out of the Regiment of Royal Paterno, have begun their March from Peſcara, to join the Army in the Eccleſiaſtical State. On the 26th ſailed from this Port for Sicily, the King's Frigate with Recruits to compleat the Troops. On the 27th Eleven Perſons, charged as Diffidents to this Government, amongſt whom were five Clergymen, Natives of the City of Teramo, were conducted from Abruzzo to the Priſon of this City.

Rome, April 3. The Pope, in Conſideration of the Hardſhips and Damages that many of the Inhabitants within the City and the Diſtrict of Rome have ſuffered by the Paſſage of Foreign Troops, has renewed the old favourable Laws, to exempt thoſe who have 12 Children from all Manner of Taxes, Duties, &c. and thoſe who have Vineyards and Lands of their own, from all Duties on Proviſions for the Uſe of their Families.

Florence, April 6. We hear from the Romagna, that on the 30th paſt, the Spaniſh and Neapolitan Troops, conſiſting, the former of about 18000, and the latter of about 6000 Men, were arrived at Rimini, with a Train of 30 Field Pieces, 30 Waggons of military Stores, and 1500 Mules laden with Ammunition, &c. On the 1ſt Inſtant they advanced to Ceſena, from whence a Detachment of about 6000 Spaniards began their March to Lugo in the Ferrareſe. Prince Lobcowitz, in Conſequence thereof, retired with his Troops from Forli, and on the 3d began his March from Imola towards the Panaro. He is alſo removing the Artillery, Magazines, &c. from Imola; for which Purpoſe 120 Pair of Cattle were ſent thither from Caſtle St. Pietro; and the whole Auſtrian Army was expected to arrive at Bologla by the 5th. They are fortifying and providing the Citadel of Modena with all Neceſſaries.

Venice, April 16. Early Yeſterday Morning came Advice by an Eſtafette, that on the 13th Inſtant in the Forenoon, M. de Gages, with the Spaniſh Army, conſiſting of about 22000 Men, had paſſed the Panaro without Oppoſition near Spilamberto. Some Parties of Lycanians were on the Banks of the River to obſerve the Motions of the Spaniards, but retired immediately after firing ſome of their Pieces. It is ſuppoſed that Prince Lobcowitz is at Carpi behind the Secchia.

Bern, April 16, *N. S.* We have Advice from Ravenſpourg in Swabia, that on the 8th Inſtant, the Peaſants of Bregentz made a brisk Attack upon a Body of French Troops in the Neighbourhood of Ravenſpourg, that they had ſurpriſed a Caſtle about four Leagues from thence, and taken 200 French Priſoners; and by a Poſtſcript to the ſaid Advices it is added, This Moment the Bregentzers have fallen upon three Companies of Huſſars, and cut them entirely to Pieces. There is alſo Advice here, that the French are gathering all their Forces in Swabia together near Weingarten. The Senate and Sixteen ancient Bailifs of this Canton were aſſembled by Six of the Clock this Morning, in order to fill up the Fourſcore and five Vacancies in the Council of 200, and the Election is juſt now over.

From the Head Quarters of the Auſtrian Army under the Command of General Bathiani at Potmes, April 24, *N. S.*

General Trips is purſuing the French with a ſtrong Detachment of Huſſars and Waradiners, and a Part of his Corps is already near Geiſlingen. The whole Army is preparing to follow without Loſs of Time.

Berlin, April 27, *N. S.* On Sunday laſt a Courier from Munich paſſed through this Place in his Road to Neiſs, with an Account of the Peace lately concluded between the Queen of Hungary and the Elector of Bavaria. This Piece of News has thrown the Partiſans of France into the greateſt Conſternation, and it is now doubted, whether the Encampment at Magdebourg will take Place. It is ſaid here, that the Command of that Army had been offer'd to the old Prince of Deſſau, who excuſed himſelf from accepting it on Account of his ill State of Health, and that the Prince of Anhalt Zerbſt will have the Command thereof, if it ſhould be hereafter formed: However, in the mean while, Bredow's Regiment of Foot has entred into Garriſon here, and Wurtemberg's marched this Morning towards Magdebourg. Laſt Week a Body of the Hungarian Inſurgents penetrated to within half a League of Breſlau; and there is a Report this Day, that they have taken ſeveral Boats laden with the Cloathing of 25 Pruſſian Regiments.

Dreſden, April 28. The Pruſſians have withdrawn all the Troops which they had advanced towards the County of Glatz, and ſeem to be forming two Corps, one at Sweidnitz and the other at Neiſs. They have even deſtroyed ſome Works they had made, with the Deſign, as was ſuppoſed, to defend the Paſſes thro' that County into Silefia.

Bruſſels, April 28, *N. S.* After a great deal of Variety and Contradiction, our Advices for two or three Days paſt agree, that the Enemy's Army

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Army is before Tournay, and that Place is ſo far inveſted, that the Poſt from thence, which ſhould have come Yeſterday, does not appear, ſo it is taken for granted all Communication is ſtopt. There has been firing heard there, and one, who ſays he came from the Town Yeſterday, aſſures it was from the Town upon ſome of the French Troops who, approach'd too near, and that he ſaw three French Soldiers kill'd by one Shot; but the French had not begun to work, or even taken their Poſts regularly, tho' they had their Tools ready. As to their Numbers, it is ſaid they have about 15,000 on one Side of the Town, and 40,000 on the other.

Bruſſels, April 30, *N. S.* We march this Minute to Halle; Tournay is now inveſted.

Oſtend, April 29. A Battalion of French Militia at Ypres having been uſed ill by their Officers, as they were exerciſing a few Days ago and firing a Volley, ſome of the Men loaded with Ball, and killed the Major, another Officer, and wounded two more.

Oſtend, May 2. It is reported here, that the French having ſent the Regiment of Normandie into one of the Suburbs of Tournay to deſtroy it, the Garriſon made a Sally and cut off 500 of them, wounded many others, and received little harm themſelves. It was this Day reported by a Peaſant who came from that Quarter, that the French had taken a reconnoitring Party of the Garriſon of Oudenarde, conſiſting of 100 Huſſars, and ſent them to Liſle. The Town of Tournay fired on the Enemy from Eleven o'Clock laſt Night till Four this Morning, which was very plainly heard here.

Hambourg, April 30, *N. S.* Upon the King of Pruſſia's having order'd a Camp of Obſervation to be formed at Magdebourg, the Regiments of which are to be aſſembled there by the 1ſt of next Month, the King of Poland has thought proper to order the Saxon Troops, which his Majeſty has in his Country, to encamp upon his Frontiers between Leipſick and Merſeburgh, and in Upper Luſatia. And the Duke of Weiſſenfeldts has received Orders to make the neceſſary Diſpoſitions for the ſaid Encampment, before his Serene Highneſs ſets out in order to put himſelf at the Head of the Auxiliary Army in Bohemia. The Duke was to arrive at Dreſden as upon the 25th.

From the Camp at Soignies, May 2, *N. S.* On the 29th it was reſolved in a Council of War, that the Army ſhould march next Day to Halle.

Accordingly the 30th, the whole Army marched to the Camp at Halle in two Columns, the Right extending beyond Halle, and the Left at Tubiſe, leaving the great Chauſſée which leads from Bruſſels to Mons in the Rear. One Battalion of Hanoverians (that of Bork) went into Bruſſels to remain in Garriſon there.

To Day the Army marched from the Camp at Halle to that here, in two Columns. It required a good deal of Time to paſs the Defilés, ſo that it was late before the Troops got to their Ground. This and the Badneſs of the Weather will prevent the Army's marching To-morrow. It is propoſed to make the next March to Aeth.

The French have poſſeſſed themſelves of Fort St. Antonie, and made Priſoners 60 Men and three Officers. His Royal Highneſs has ſent a Trumpeter to demand them upon the Cartel of Ranſom. By the Deſerters Report, the Houſehold Troops and the heavy Artillery were to arrive as Yeſterday at the French Camp; and one of thoſe come in To-day, ſays, the Batteries began to fire laſt Night. It is ſaid alſo, that the Enemy have a Camp of 400 Horſe at Leuſe.

To-Day ſix Battalions and five Squadrons, under the Command of the Prince of Heſſe Phillipſdahl, from Mons, have joined the Army here.

His Royal Highneſs is in perfect Health.

Hague, May 4. General Ginckel is fallen ill at Utrecht; and the States have appointed Brigadier Burmania to perform the Office of Quartermaſter General to their Troops this Year, as he did the laſt. The Definitive Treaty of Peace between the Queen of Hungary and the Elector of Bavaria, was ſigned, as we hear, the 22d paſt, at Fueſſen.

St. James's, April 24.

This Day was held a Chapter of the moſt Noble Order of the Garter with the uſual Ceremonies, when the Right Reverend the Lord Biſhop of Salisbury, Chancellor of the Order, by His Majeſty's Command, declared the Duke of Saxe Weiſſenfeldts a Knight Companion of the ſaid Order.

Admiralty Office, April 23.

This Day, in Purſuance of his Majeſty's Pleaſure, the following Promotions were made of Flag Officers by the Lords of the Admiralty, viz.

Edward Vernon, Eſq; to be *Admiral of the White.*

James Steuart, Thomas Davers, and the Honourable George Clinton, Eſqrs. to be *Vice-Admirals of the Red.*

William Rowley, and William Martin, Eſqrs. to be *Vice-Admirals of the White.*

Iſaac Townſend, and Henry Medley, Eſqrs. to be *Vice-Admirals of the Blue.*

The Right Honourable Lord Vere Beauclerk, to be *Rear-Admiral of the Red.*

George Anſon, Eſq; to be *Rear-Admiral of the White.*

Perry Mayne, Eſq; to be *Rear-Admiral of the Blue.*

Whitehall, April 16, 1745.

Whereas an anonymous Letter, dated the 6th of this Inſtant April, and directed, To William Sheppard, was found at the Door of the ſaid Mr. William Sheppard's Dwelling-houſe in Froome in the County of Somerſet, on Monday the 8th of this Inſtant April, threatning to burn and deſtroy the Houſes and Goods of him the ſaid William Sheppard and his Brother, and alſo the Lives of ſeveral Hundred Perſons, who are not named in the ſaid Letter, unleſs three Perſons, who had been lately committed to Priſon for their riotous and diſorderly Behaviour, were immediately releaſed: And whereas the Life of the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Viſcount Weymouth, who committed them, was threatned in the ſaid Letter to be taken away before Eaſter next; His Majeſty, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice the Perſon or Perſons concerned in ſending or writing the abovementioned Letter, is graciouſly pleaſed to promiſe his Pardon to any one of them who ſhall diſcover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as he, ſhe or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

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And as a farther Encouragement, The Right Hon. the Lord Viſcount Weymouth does hereby promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as aforeſaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

WEYMOUTH.

And the Church Wardens of Froome in the County of Somerſet aforeſaid, for the Time being, do alſo promiſe to pay the Sum of Fifty Pounds, upon Conviction, to any Perſon or Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery as is abovementioned.

William Barton, Joſeph Cleevey, } *Church-Wardens.*

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Pay-Office, Horſe-Guards, April 27, 1745.

Notice is hereby given, That upon Tueſday next the 30th Inſtant, will be iſſued ſix Months Half Pay, to the reduced Officers of his Majeſty's Land Forces and Marines, to the 24th of December 1744. *And that Attendance will be given at the aboveſaid Office for Payment of the ſame accordingly.*

T. Winnington.

Advertiſements.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, Notice is hereby given to the unſatisfied Creditors of John Brock, late of Brentwood in the County of Eſſex, Mariner, deceaſed, if any ſuch there be, that they are to come in and make Proof of their Debts before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chamber in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London; or that in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUurſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The ſeveral Creditors of Charles Adelmare, otherwiſe Cæſar the Elder, late of Bennington, in the County of Hertford, Eſq; deceaſed, are peremptorily to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Henry Montague, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the laſt Day of Eaſter Term next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, in Parcels, Several Meſſuages or Tenements, and Parcels of Arable, Paſture, Wood and Marſh Lands, in the Pariſhes of Little Charte, Pluckley, Teynham, Weſt Hythe, and Sellindge, in the County of Kent, being the Eſtate of John Godfrey, late of Norton Court, Eſq; deceaſed, deviſed by his Will to be ſold; Lett at 99 l. per Annum. Particulars to be had at the ſaid Maſters Chambers in Chancery Lane.

TO be peremptorily Sold, entire or in Parcels, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Edmund Sawyer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Friday the 24th Day of May next, between the Hours of Five and Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, A Capital Meſſuage called Boxley Abbey, in the County of Kent; and alſo ſeveral other Freehold Houſes, Farms and Lands, in the Pariſhes of Boxley, Braſted and Chiddingſtone, in the County of Kent, late the Eſtate of the Lady Heyliard, deceaſed, being about the yearly Value of 210 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's at his ſaid Chambers.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankruptcy iſſued againſt George Myers, late of Tooting, in the Pariſh of Stretham, in the County of Surry, Callico Printer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of the ſaid Bankrupt, on Wedneſday, which will be the 8th Day of May next, preciſely at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Feathers Tavern in Cheapſide, London, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits in Equity, for the Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate, and on other ſpecial Affairs. Enquire for No I.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Anthony Thomſon, late of Wood-ſtreet, London, Weaver, intend to meet on the 1ſt Day of May next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Chriſtopher Lee and Peter Chamberlin, both of the City of Norwich, Carpenters and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to ſurrender themſelves to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 4th and 7th of May next, and on the 8th of June following, at Four in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Mr. Thomas Quarles, being the Goat and Kidd in the City of Norwich, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of their Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe an Aſſignee or Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupts are required to finiſh their Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Marſhall, Attorney, in Norwich aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Francis Burcham, of the City of Norwich, Linnendraper, Shopkeeper and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th and 20th of May next, and on the 8th of June following, at Three in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Jacob Hatt, known by the Sign of the Popinjay, in the Pariſh of St. George of Tombland in the ſaid City of Norwich, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Nockold Tompſon, Attorney in Norwich aforeſaid.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Livingſton and Matthew Tuder, late of the Pariſh of St. Paul Covent-Garden, in the County of Middleſex, Linnendrapers and Partners, intend to meet on Tueſday the 30th of April Inſtant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may come prepared to do the ſame.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Swannack, late of Petersfield, in the County of Southampton, Innholder and Chapman, intend to meet on the 6th Day of June next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Richard Gaman, being the Sign of the Green Dragon in Petersfield aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt David Falconer, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May next, at Three in the Afternoon at Guildhall, London, in order to make a final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Peter Sergeant the Younger, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Robert Davis, late of Martlett-Court, Bow-ſtreet, in the Pariſh of St. Paul Covent Garden, in the County of Middleſex, Taylor and Chapman, intend to meet on the 22d of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Henry Williams, of the Pariſh of St. Giles in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Woollendraper, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Henry Williams hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, That by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 18th of May next.

THE under-mentioned Perſons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately paſſed for Relief of inſolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inſerted in this Paper, and are herein inſerted in Obedience to the ſaid Act.

The following Perſons being Fugitives for Debt and beyond the Seas on or before the firſt of January 1742, and having ſurrendred themſelves to the Keeper of his Majeſty's Priſon of the Fleet, London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of his preſent Majeſty King George the Second, intitled, An Act for the Relief of Inſolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Seſſions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, or at the Adjournment thereof, that ſhall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Andrew Melice, late of the Pariſh of St. Mary le Strand, in the County of Middleſex, Peruke-maker. Valentine White, late of Long-acre, Grocer. John Smith, formerly of King-ſtreet Golden Square, in the County of Middleſex, but late of Prittlewell in the County of Eſſex, Clerk.

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